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**SOLUTIONS, LLC**

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

**CUTTING EDGE SOLUTIONS, LLC,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**SUSTAINABLE LOW MAINTENANCE**  
**GRASS, LLC, a Florida limited liability**  
**company;**  
**TURF AND LANDSCAPE SOLUTIONS,**  
**LLC, a Massachusetts limited liability**  
**company; and**  
**DOES 1 TO 10,**

**Defendants.**

**Case No. 14-cv-02770-WHO**

**PARTIES' JOINT REPORT**  
**ON PROGRESS WITH**  
**SETTLEMENT DOCUMENTS**

**Parties' Report Due: 02/17/2015**  
**Settlement Conference Date: 01/21/2015**  
**Time: 9:30 a.m.**  
**Location:**  
**Federal Building, Courtroom G, 15th Floor**  
**450 Golden Gate Avenue**  
**San Francisco, CA**  
**Before:**  
**Hon. U.S. Magistrate Judge Joseph C. Spero**

PARTIES' JOINT REPORT ON PROGRESS WITH SETTLEMENT DOCUMENTS

At the Mandatory Settlement Conference on January 21, 2015, the parties reached a binding settlement requiring implementation through settlement and release agreements and in a consent to use agreement.

As agreed, on January 30, 2015, defense provided a first draft of the documents pursuant to the agreed schedule, and on February 4, 2015, plaintiff provided a "redline" response.

Thereafter, the severe weather in Boston caused several unscheduled closings as well as interruptions in the business of defense counsel's offices, delaying progress on the documents. Defense will be responding to plaintiff's redline later this week; however, plaintiff's attorney will be traveling for the following two weeks until March 3, 2015.

The parties request a further progress report to the Court to be due March 13, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

NUTTER McLENNEN & FISH LLP

Dated: February 17, 2015

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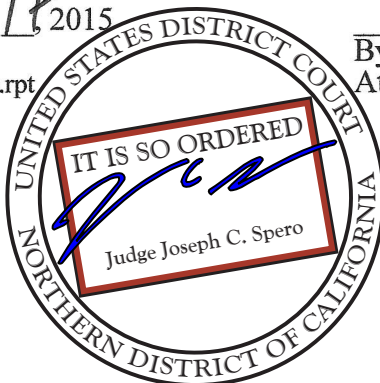
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Dated: 2/20/15



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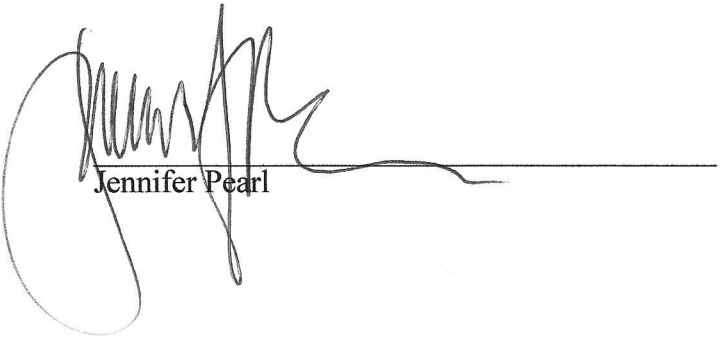
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